



TUESDAY EVENING, AUG. 15, 1893.

THE GAZETTE is neither a seventh son nor the son of one, but as soon as the Bering Sea arbitration commission was determined upon, it stated what its award would be. Common sense is always a true prophet in respect of things to be submitted to reasonable people. Of things to be determined by unreasonable people, such as the majority of those of this country and State have become, a simpleton is as good a prophet as the wisest of men.

FROM WASHINGTON.

(Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 15.

THE SENATE today sent to the Senate the following nominations: Charles H. Page, collector of customs for the district of Oregon; Owen J. H. Summers, U. S. attorney for the northern district of Florida; Jefferson A. Huff, judge of probate in the county of Grand, Utah.

LOOKED AT in the light of human nature, it is not at all wonderful that the populists are being reinforced by many who have heretofore voted the democratic ticket. The democratic party promised the people that it would, at the earliest practicable moment, repeal the McKinley tariff bill and remove the tax that will impose upon the many poor who cannot afford to bear it, and lay it upon the few rich who can. Nearly six months have elapsed since the democratic administration, elected upon that promise, came into power, and yet not only has no attempt been made to fulfill it, but even the tax on Colombian and Venezuelan coffee and hides, imposed, not by Congress, but by ex-President Harrison, and which can be removed by President Cleveland with a stroke of his pen, is allowed to remain and to raise the price of the necessities of life referred to. It is not at all unnatural that men once deceived, by those to whom they have entrusted their affairs should be easily induced to seek other agents.

WHAT is called at the Treasury Department in Washington the "conscience fund," that is the fund that has accumulated there as the result of the promptings of the conscience of northern thieves to return the money they have stolen from the government, is not increasing as rapidly as it did some years ago. But still a notice of the fact that a donation to that fund has been made is occasionally seen in the newspapers. It seems, however, that those only who have robbed the government are subject to such pricks of conscience as those referred to. Certainly none of the many valuable articles stolen from this office by northern thieves, before they burnt it, during the war between the States, has ever been returned, and as thirty years have since elapsed, the strong probability is that none of them ever will be. The conscience of those who hold them is evidently either asleep or dead.

A SUPPORTER of the high tariff tax, and therefore an opponent of an income tax, says the imposition of the latter "would be putting a penalty on thrift and industry. It would punish success and restrict enterprise." And yet human nature is unchangeable, and it would be only human nature if every sane man in the country, not subject to such a tax, would be constantly striving to render himself so, and in as short a time as possible. The fact that there would be a necessity for an income tax if the tariff tax on the necessities of life were removed, should of itself alone be sufficient to secure the repeal of the McKinley bill without further delay.

BAD LEGISLATORS cannot be expected to pass good laws, nor bad judges to execute them. But, in countries in which every man has the right to vote, the qualifications either of legislators or of judges are the last things thought of by the vast majority of the voters. Why, in this very State, and only a few years ago, a large majority of the men whom the people had elected to the legislature, elected as judges other men whose only required qualification was that "once in their lives they had opened a law book." Wise and good advice is heeded by such voters as little as the passing breeze.

NO MATTER how lightly some democrats may think of party platforms, those of Virginia should show their allies in the other States that they, like their fathers, hold such platforms as the expression of their party's faith, and are as loyal to them as they are to their party's nominees. Therefore, at their coming State convention, they should embody their opinions on all the public questions now undecided in the platform they shall adopt, and make the candidates they may nominate stand squarely upon it. This is no time for the "glittering catchwords" of the Chicago platform.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

In Denver, Col., yesterday a fire totally destroyed the Crescent Flour Mill and Elevator. Loss \$250,000. Several firemen were injured.

Mr. Samuel Stein, a member of the banking firm of Stein Brothers, of Baltimore, died at Bedford Springs, Pa., yesterday morning.

The prosecution yesterday rested in the trial of Mrs. Mattie Shann for poisoning her son at Trenton, N. J., and the defense took up the case.

Wm. F. Caldwell, assistant chief of the fire department, at Pueblo, Colo., yesterday committed suicide in St. Louis, after a quarrel with his wife on money matters.

Secretary Carlisle yesterday assured Mr. Springer that the administration has not and does not propose to interfere with Speaker Crisp in the appointment of committees.

In the U. S. Senate yesterday, Mr. Hill, of New York, offered a bill repealing federal election laws. He repeated, however, not to affect any proceeding or prosecution now pending under said act.

Steuernville, Ohio, was visited yesterday by the greatest conflagration in the history of the place. Two large blocks, several stores, twelve residences and a number of stables are in ruins. The loss will reach \$200,000.

The Union Pacific steamer Annie Fallon, plying on Snake river, was blown up off Waite's bar below Alamo, Wash., yesterday morning. Several persons were killed, and all on board injured. The vessel was blown to pieces.

The Cape May excursion train on the Wilmington and Northern Railroad on Saturday struck Frank Smith, near Laurel Station, Pa., while he was walking on the track, and cut his body to pieces. The head was severed from the trunk, and it was found 40 feet from the track.

Dan Creedon the middle-weight champion of Australia last night defeated, in the fifteenth round, Alexander Greig, of San Francisco, the champion middle-weight of the Pacific coast. The fight took place at Roby, Ind., in the Columbia Athletic Club for a purse of \$5,000, and a side bet of \$2,000 apiece.

The regatta of the Royal Albert Yacht Club of South-sea of which the Duke of Edinburgh is commodore, took place yesterday off the Isle of Wight. The Albert cup was the prize for yachts above 40-rating. The Navahoe, Britannia, Satanita and Calluna were the boats in this class that started. The Navahoe withdrew before the race was finished.

The unaccountable absence from her home in Washington for three days of Miss Daisy Garland, the only daughter of Attorney General Garland caused her family and friends much uneasiness until last evening, when a telegram announcing her whereabouts was received from Baltimore, and later the young lady returned. It appears that she had merely gone to spend a few days with a school friend in Baltimore, and that the anxiety about her was all due to the failure to reach her family of a message she had left for them.

Upon arriving at the archiepiscopal residence, in New York yesterday, Mr. Satolli was received very cordially by Archbishop Corrigan. After a brief period spent in conversation, dinner was served. During the afternoon Father Lavalle said: "The coming of the apostolic delegate is surely an act of courtesy toward Archbishop Corrigan. No matter what is said to the contrary, there is nothing sinister behind it. These two illustrious gentlemen understand each other thoroughly, and any report the contrary is a mistake."

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FIFTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, August 15, 1893.

SENATE.

Mr. Gordon has introduced a bill to suspend for six months the operation of the law taxing the notes of national State banks ten per cent. He prefaced its reading with a statement in which he claimed that the passage of his bill (if not a panacea for existing ills) would stop the panic in 15 days. It would, he said, allow the Savannah banks to issue notes sufficient to move the whole cotton crop, of which that city is the central port. The bill was referred to the finance committee.

Mr. Voorhees reported back from that committee the bill introduced by him yesterday to enable banks to issue currency to the amount of the full par value of the bonds deposited. He expressed the hope that the bill would now be taken up and passed, practically without discussion. He met, however, an opposing force in the person of Mr. Cockrell, who objected to its immediate consideration, and then proceeded to make an argument against it as favoring the national banks to the disadvantage of State banks.

Mr. Voorhees said that as a single objection caused his bill to go over till to-morrow, he would now give notice that he would call it up to-morrow and move to put it on its passage. He was also instructed to ask permission for the finance committee to sit during the sessions of the Senate, and gave notice of a meeting of that committee to-morrow.

After the Voorhees bill had come over on the objection of Mr. Cockrell, the latter gentleman asked the Senate to consider and pass the House joint resolution for the payment of mileage to Senators and Representatives for the present session. This gave Mr. Frye a chance, which he availed himself of (ridiculing the idea of the public duty which would postpone relief for the people and make haste to provide relief for Senators and members. Mr. Frye was asked whether he objected to the consideration of the joint resolution. He declined to object, but Mr. Preffer stepped into the breach with an objection and the joint resolution went to the calendar.

The Lee Mantle case, involving the question of the right of Governors of States to appoint Senators, under certain circumstances, was then taken up and Mr. Hunt addressed the Senate in support of Mr. Mantle's right to a seat.

After prayer and the reading and approval of the journal (before a small attendance of members), Mr. Burrows offered a resolution giving Chas. E. Belknap the right to contest the seat of Geo. F. Richardson from the Fifth district of Michigan.

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

New York, Aug. 15.—There was an increased pressure to sell the industrials this morning. The developments in the United States Senate yesterday were unfavorably interpreted in certain circles and led to some liquidations. Toward 11 o'clock the market was steadier in tone and rally of $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. took place.

Alexandria Market, August 15. The markets are quiet and the situation is without material change to-day. Flour is moving very slowly, as buyers for six months past have found it difficult to realize a profit in carrying large stocks, prices having constantly declined, the tone is, however, stronger. Wheat is firmer; sales 60 to 64 for good to choice lambs, damaged to fair. Wheats bring from 53 to 58. Corn is easy at 49 to 53. Rye 42 to 47. Oats 30 to 34 in bulk, former for slightly damp samples. Butter and Eggs are higher. Other produce, Vegetables and provisions are steady. Mill-feed is higher. Hay is active. There is no demand for Straw at present.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 15.—Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat easy; No 2 red spot 65 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; Aug 65 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; Sept 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; Oct 69 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; Dec 73 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; 47 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; milling wheat by sample 65 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; Corn; mixed spot and Aug 47 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; 47 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; 48 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; 49 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; white corn by sample 51 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; yellow do 49 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢. Oats quiet; No 2 white Western 34 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; No 2 mixed do 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; 32 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢. Rye very firm; No 2 51 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢. Hay quiet and lower; good to choice timothy \$19.00. Provisions quiet and unchanged.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—Flour quiet and steady. Wheat dull and steady. Corn quiet and easier. Pork firm and quiet; mess \$14.50 to \$15.00. Lard nominal; steam \$8.80.

BALTIMORE CATTLE MARKET, Aug. 14.—Swine.—The run of hogs is very light this week, not half the number reported last Monday, but it seems to be nearly equal to the moderate demand of the butchers. The market is somewhat stronger, with an improvement of about 10¢ on prices ruling last week for the best light Western hogs. Quotations were as follows: Fair to best light Western hogs range from \$6.50 to \$6.60 per 100 lbs. and same Sept 44¢; 45¢; 46¢; 47¢; 48¢; 49¢; 50¢; 51¢; 52¢; 53¢; 54¢; 55¢; 56¢; 57¢; 58¢; 59¢; 60¢; 61¢; 62¢; 63¢; 64¢; 65¢; 66¢; 67¢; 68¢; 69¢; 70¢; 71¢; 72¢; 73¢; 74¢; 75¢; 76¢; 77¢; 78¢; 79¢; 80¢; 81¢; 82¢; 83¢; 84¢; 85¢; 86¢; 87¢; 88¢; 89¢; 90¢; 91¢; 92¢; 93¢; 94¢; 95¢; 96¢; 97¢; 98¢; 99¢; 100¢.

NEW YORK CATTLE MARKET, Aug. 14.—Cattle.—Market steady; poorest to best native steers \$3.00 to \$3.25; bulls and cows \$2.25 to \$2.50; 100 lbs. Veals sold at \$5.67 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢, butter-milk calves \$2.25 to \$2.50 per 100 lbs. Sheep and Lambs—sheep \$2.50 to \$4.40, lambs \$4.50 to \$5.00 per 100 lbs. Hogs—market firm at \$6.40 to \$6.60 per 100 lbs.

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VIRGINIA NEWS.

The sixth annual convention of the Virginia Farmers' Alliance met in Richmond this morning.

The residence of G. R. Abbott, in Culpeper county, was destroyed by fire, with its contents, yesterday.

Dr. A. B. Arthur, one of the oldest and best-known dentists in the valley, died in Staunton on Sunday.

At the meetings held in several of the counties yesterday Col. O'Ferrall secured a majority of the delegates to the Richmond convention.

At a special election held in Leesburg on Saturday last Walter I. Harrison, president of the Loudoun National Bank, was chosen mayor to succeed H. O. Claggett, resigned.

B. F. Ferguson, who was clerk in the Big Stone Gap Bank of Lynchburg, before that institution failed last week, has committed suicide by taking laudanum. He was found dead in his bed.

The trunk factory of Simon Seward & Co., in Petersburg, shut down yesterday. This factory is one of the largest of its kind in the State, and gives employment to over 100 operatives.

The joint convention of Loudoun and Fauquier counties will meet in Middleburg on Friday, September 15, to nominate a floater delegate for the two counties. Eppa Hunton, Jr., of Warrenton, is the only candidate.

The Loudoun county democratic convention to nominate a candidate for the legislature met in Leesburg yesterday with full attendance. Mr. John F. Ryan, who has acceptably filled the place for several years, was nominated by acclamation.

Governor McKinney has exercised executive clemency in the case of Edward Popkins, sentenced at the May term of the Loudoun county court to three years in the penitentiary for house-breaking. The pardon is granted on account of the uniform good conduct of the prisoner and at the request of many prominent citizens.

Prince William Notes.

In a short time the large Granite Quarry opposite Occoquan on the banks of the Occoquan Bay in Fairfax county will be in full blast. Its owners intend crushing the stone for use in cities for street and ripraping.—*Manassas Gazette.*

Rev. O. C. Peyton, who, for the past two and a half years has been pastor of the Baptist Church at Manassas, will, on October 1st, enter the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville, Ky., to take the special pastor's course.

The Potomac Baptist Association will meet with the Baptist church, at Manassas on Wednesday next, August 16th. This body is deliberative only. Its sessions are for conference as to best methods of doing christian work. Fifty churches are members of the Association and these will be represented by about one hundred delegates.

It was stated some time ago that a monastery would shortly be established on a large tract of land in the vicinity of Wellington. There is now no doubt that it will be established, for Bishop Hild, O. S. B., Belmont, N. C., Father Julius Pohl, of Richmond, Mother Elith and Sister Elizabeth, of Richmond, were there last week with a view of perfecting arrangements for the erection of suitable buildings for this purpose. It is said that upwards of fifty young ladies are ready to enter the school there when it opens.

VIRGINIA CLAIMS.—Senator Hunton in the Senate yesterday introduced a general measure providing for the payment of the following claims to Virginians stated to be due by the Court of Claims: Isaac Davenport, Jr., \$4,797.64; George D. Harwood, \$1,300; Thomas W. McCance, \$3,075; D. T. Madigan, \$625; Dr. Creed Thomas, \$1,127.50; W. H. Palmer, \$1,620; John E. Robinson, \$1,620; John Enders, executor of Wm. Greator, \$4,200; Mary W. Bailey, executrix of Samuel M. Bailey, \$375; Garrett F. Watson, \$4,972; estate of R. O. Haskins, \$540; Ann E. Grant, administratrix, \$1,800; Samuel P. Lathrop, agent for Eugene Carrington, administrator, \$1,150; John Enders, \$1,140; W. Ben Palmer, executor, \$550; John Bowers, \$400; E. M. Garnett, assignee of Jose B. Watkins, \$2,000.

WARRENTON RACES.—A large crowd was at the race track of the Warrenton Hunt Club yesterday to witness the first annual meeting of the club. The first event, a three-quarter mile dash, had two entries, and was won by Neptune; owner, J. K. Maddox. The second, a half-mile dash, had eight entries, and was won by Picadillo; owner, Henry Davis. The third, one and a half mile hurdle race, had three entries, and was won by Donley; owner, Hunton Taylor.

The fourth, a jumping contest was decided a tie between High Flyer, owner, J. C. Maddox, and Top Gallant, owner, Dr. C. S. Carter.

The season, for September, has been received from the International News Company, New York.

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TO-DAY'S TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

The Behring Sea Decision.

PARIS, Aug. 15.—The decision of the Behring sea tribunal of arbitration was handed down at 11:07 o'clock this morning. The five points of article 6 in reference to the use of nets, firearms or explosives in fur sealing are decided against the United States. A close season is established, to begin May 1 and to continue until July 31. This close season shall be observed both in the north Pacific ocean and in Behring sea. A protected zone is established extending for 60 miles around the islands. Pelagic sealing is allowed outside the zone in Behring sea from August 1. The use of firearms in sealing is prohibited. The American arbitrators have expressed their satisfaction with the text of the decision. Baron de Courcel, president of the tribunal, after the decision was rendered, thanked the arbitrators for the close and intelligent attention they had brought to bear upon the case. Lord Hannen and Senator Morgan in replying to the president, acknowledged his courtesy and hospitality. The American arbitrators believe that the regulations decided upon mean practically the end of pelagic sealing, and that they are better terms than were heretofore offered to the United States by Great Britain as a settlement of the question involved.

Among the failures reported to-day was the Citizens' National Bank of Attica, Ind.

The deputy sheriffs stationed for several days past at the coal mines at Bedford, Mo., have been withdrawn, the strike having been declared off.

A party of Swedes went to Batavia, Ill., last night for the purpose of hanging a man named Lindholm, who assaulted two little girls. Lindholm is out on bail and is in hiding.

Mr. Jose Bobadilla, deputy of the Congress of the State of Ialisco, Mex., was assassinated a few days ago. It is believed his assassin was hired by some one out of revengeful motive.

Among the passengers on the steamship Gaelic which arrived at San Francisco this morning were James H. Blount, American minister to Hawaii, and Mr. Yang, the Chinese minister to the United States.

A cold blooded murder was the result of a feud in Christian county Ky., Sunday. Fleming McNeal was passing along the road when Charlie Norrow sprang from ambush and shot him down with a pistol.

Mr. Gladstone announced in the British House of Commons to-day that he had received a private telegram from Paris to the effect that with a few exceptions the award of the Behring sea tribunal of arbitration was satisfactory to British interests.

The Coatsworth elevator, of Buffalo, N. Y., having a capacity of 12,000,000 bushels and valued at three-quarters of a million dollars, was totally destroyed by fire this morning about 3 o'clock. About a dozen frame structures, mostly saloons and dwellings, were also burned. The elevator was one of the largest in the city, but had not been used much this season. At the time of the fire it did not contain more than 20,000 bushels of grain.

At the Union depot in Atlanta, Ga., yesterday, Pat H. Mehan shot and killed Robert McBride, president of the Cotton Seed Oil Mills at Newman, Ga. Mehan claims he killed McBride because the latter had insulted his wife.

The farmers of Brooklyn and Littleton townships, Ill., are organizing a mob to hang El. Ferguson, a negro, who is in jail there for highway robbery committed in that section last Thursday morning.

The southbound passenger train on the New Orleans Pacific railroad was held up by eight masked men three miles south of Mansfield, La., at eight o'clock last night. Only a small amount of cash was lost.

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OFFICIAL.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Pursuant to the call of his Honor, the Mayor, a meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held August 14th, 1893. There were present:

Wm. H. Marbury, esq., President, and Messrs. Burke, Hinken, Sweeney, Leadbeater and Lindsey.

The communication from the Mayor, inclosing a letter from P. Dillon, City Scavenger, in regards to a place of deposit for night soil, was received from the Common Council.

The following was received from the Common Council and their action concurred in, viz:—The resolution for a street sprinkler.

An ordinance to amend and re-enact section 2, chapter XI of the corporation code, was received from the Common Council, read three times and passed by a vote of ayes 6; noes, none.

The board then adjourned. M. P. VINCENT, Clerk.

COMMON COUNCIL.

At a called meeting of the Common Council of the city of Alexandria, Va., held August 14th, 1893, there were present:

Hubert Snowden, esq., President, and Messrs. W. S. Moore, C. N. Moore, Thompson, Kraft, Kaus, Beach, Harrison, Caton, Strider, Evans, Fannon and McCuen.

The Mayor, convening Council for the purpose of designating and securing a suitable location for depositing the night soil collected by the City Scavenger was received.